AND PLEASURE HORSES. PLEASURES.

and Other Outdoor Sports-Bass Fishing in Greenbrier River-A Tournament-Old-Time Register of Guests-Richmond Visitors.

(Correspondence of the Dispatch.) GREENBRIER WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA., July 15 .- Next to the attractive and agreeable people who always compose the company here, interest centres in the unusual number of handsome private teams and pleasure

Mrs. Campbell.

ing family-Mrs. Quinn and Mrs.

and families, Lynchburg, Va., and Mrs. John Potts and her two little daughters

Dudley, Danville, Va.

Mrs. Marshall M. Gilliam, Mrs. Thomas

Rollins and wife, Chicago, Ill.; R. F. Pat-terson, Pennsylvania; W. B. F. Wright,

Virginia; Mrs. Wingfield, Norfolk; Hora

Mary C. Robertson, South Carolina; Mrs. E. A. Scaife, Memphis, Tenn.; J. M. Gilbert, W. W. Hart, New York; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Rutherfoord and family,

walk, Conn.; J. Stern and family, Richmond, Va.; David Dunlop and family Petersburg, Va.; H. M. Comer and family

Savannah, Ga.; K. F. Smith and family Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. Mundy and Miss Mundy, Virginia; Mr. George Johnson,

Missa Mason, Judge Seddon and sons, St. Louis, Mo.; J. S. Ranvers and family, Sa-vannah, Ga.; P. Decker and wife, Miss

THE ALLEGHANY.

Palmy Days of the Gay Season Be

ginning-The Guests.

ALLEGHANY SPRINGS, VA., July 16.-Special.)-At the Alleghany the palmy

days of the summer season are just be

ginning. There are many guests already

gathered here. The long lawn in front of

the hotel and cottages, that looks so much

like a park from some old English estate, is scattered over with gay groups of the

guests, and each day the three coaches bring many new arrivals to augment the

crowd, and to run the gauntlet of the in

evitable Reception Committee on the front porches. Some years ago, it is said, the

porches. Some years ago, it is said, the coach-driver used to blow a long bugle-

the dusty, dishevelled travellers whom he was bringing. Now, however, the driver seems to be saving his breath to cool his

new arrival, who did not want to be ex-

MUSIC EXPECTED.

To-day an event that is looked forward

to with much interest is the coming of the musicians, the band that played last

winter at the Jefferson Hotel, in Rich-mond. The dances, for which the Adeg-hany has come famous, and which at-

tract visitors from all the country around, will begin with a ball Monday

weeks includes riding parties, driving par-

is the objective point for those who have not yet been rejuvenated by the Alleg-hany water. For the more energetic

there are the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs, and further on still the Yellow Sulphur Springs and Christiansburg.

THE GUESTS.

The Southern States, from Texas to the

Palmetto State, have sent some very charming representatives to the Alleghany this summer. There are quite a number of prominent Virginians registered here

as well. Among these are: Mr. L. O. White, of Norfolk; Mr. and Mrs. Belezza, of Norfolk; Mr. H. D. Perkins, of Rich-

mond; Mr. C. Scott, of Richmond; Rev Thornton Whaling and wife, of Lexing

BUFALO LITHIA SPRINGS.

the Time Away.

BUFFALO SPRINGS, VA., July 16 .-

(Special.)-Since I was here a week ago

there has been a considerable increase in

represented, both in number and person-

nel, and I regret that some of the ladies

from there took exception to the expres-

sion in my last letter from here "that

about in the abandon of home." Not fa-

millar with female attire, I was astonish-

cooled and I escaped a white-capping.

The young people danced last night, while the order ones gather in groups in the veranda or on the benches under

the trees, where they laughed and talked

till 10 o'clock. Now and then you could observe a couple of youngsters strolling along the grand walks out of ear-shot of

those who knew, without hearing that whispered words of young love's hope were falling on the stillness of the night

There are more fat people here than I ever saw, claiming to be invalids, and those that are not fat soon will be, if they cat like they did at breakfast this morning.

Among the Richmond travelling-men

Among the Richmond Gavening-mentaking a rest here are Messrs. Winfree, Murray, and Whit Roberts, and Mr. John D. Cooper, of Henderson, N. C., and Mr. C. W. Rainey, of Kittrell, appear to be having as good a time as anybody here, save two or three widowers, who imagine themselves young again.

themselves young again.
While dress is no requisite here, yet

The Climate of Cuba.

company here.

Crockett Springs, a short distar

Patrick, Chicago, are registered

The remantic drives about the White Salobur are further beautified by the unber of carriages, Victorias, phaetons, carts, and traps of every kind filled with ay parties or more sentimental couples, r by riding parties on horseback.

Stuart McGuire drives a fast bloodbay to a handsome Brewster buggy. rides with the equestriennes, among hom there is an unusual number of achorsewomen, Mrs. Albert omag, Miss Young, Miss Annie McGuire, as Forsyth, Miss Scoville, and Miss cinhart being among the more promi-

Bosher is a charming picture of and grace in her stylish rubberas she drives 'round ounds in the morning. Young is another, in yellow buck-

drawn by a handsome chestnut Her riding-horse, "Buck," 2 beau-correl, is one of the best high-jump-Richmond, having won the second Run Hunt Club.

Albert Young drives a nobby Eng-game-cart, with a handsome bay; Young a beautiful cabriolet and a Arents drives a snug English

y, and Mr. Lewis Ginter Young handsome blooded bay. R. S. Bosher drives a trim victoria pair of bays, Mr. Scoville a gig, and Hunter McGuire a buckboard from Harbor, and Mr. C. Lee McMillan imper, drawn by a stylish 220 pacing

Joseph A. White and his daughter, iss Sophy White, with their riding with his attractive daughters and leasure horses and a donkey and cart for is children, will add their quota to the mber of riders and horses within the next few days.

TOURNAMENT.

great deal of pleasure is anticipated in the tournament now being arranged for as early date as possible. The ground nearly in shape, and already a number call when he was a half-mile from the hointerest is manifested in the success of the occasion. Each knight will select his own impersonation and costume, and ournament will, of course, be fol-by a hall in the evening. lowed by a ball in the evening.

The lovers of equestrian feats are hoping between regular amateur races, including riders, as semi-weekly entertain cycle skating rink is substituted for

the billiard-room that opened on the veranda, and a small number of wheels may be seen along the drives. Pedestrian parties to Kate's Mountain and favor, and look very picturesque on theh return, in 'cycle costume, hats dressed with maiden-hair ferns, and improvised alpenstocks topped with ferns and

room in the evening, and conducts private dancing classes in the morning. The children are happy under his guidance and enjoy their ball-room hours. There are few restrictions here for children; all pleasures and rights are accorded them, and entered into with zest by their parents and friends. MORNING EUCHRE.

The regular morning seven-hand cuchre game meets, as it has done for many seasons. Mrs. Bosher, Mrs. Reinhart, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. McLaren, Mrs. Johnstone, Mrs. McMillan, and Mrs. Donnan compose the party. While games of whist in quiet nooks are enjoyed equally by its devotees-and so it is-amusements are not lacking to those who seek them The Misses Branch and Miss Scoville serve a cup of tea on their cottage plazzas o their young friends who drop in after stroll, and an easy informality characterizes the association of the July visitors,

which is very agreeable.

Even the genealogist has opportunity to indulge his or her proclivity for looking up their ancestry in the old registers of the White Sulphur, which have been preserved and rebound, and placed con consently on a rest on the hotel veranda, have heard the story off repeated of how their grandparents to remote generations came in their carriages with the little bair trunk strapped on behind, and a carpet bag and other small baggage in 'the The volumes are silent witnesses the brilliancy and distinction of the Company which annually assembled at White Sulphur at the height of its glory

liass fishing seems to be more a feature then usual. A party of three gentlemen cajoyed a day's sport on Greenbrier river a few days ago, and brought back sixcen fine bass, as the result of a few

The botanist and entomologist, too, are mean that they went around in motherhere, and they stroll together through the hubbards, whatever that may mean. Forwoods and beside the streams, and tell tunately, I did arrive till their ire had no in the evening of the rich treasures they have secured in the many varieties. The young people danced last night, of plants and insects that are new to

The first large game of euchre was played in the drawing-room on Thursday morning, by Mesdames Tilton, Scoville, Young, Grundy, Dorman, Adams, Potts, Johnston, Dobbin, Page, Dudley, Winston, Hagedorn, Mecham, Heald, Wetherill, Jackson, Misses Torrence, Moore, McGuire, Bosher, Reinhart, Curtis, Jackon, Montague, Vandegrift, Gregory, and dessis, Stephenson, Forsythe, Patterson,

Young Willox, Montague, Hickman, Wetherill, Powell, and Johnson. the prizes-a handsome leather address book, mounted in silver; a silver bonbor silver pencil, silver ash-receiver nd a fruit knife-were taken by Misser

rundy, Mrs. R. D. Jackson, and Miss While dress is no requisite here, yet some of ladies' costumes last night would do credit to a Parisian modiste. The men, so far, have confined themselves to business and negligee dress. Preparations are making, however, for a dress ball, when the men will have to use their spiked-tail coats.

It is very warm in the sun, but cool in the shade, and blankets are comfortable atuight. Crops are suffesing for rain. game was marked by Misses Besher

## EXPECTED.

An interesting party to arrive in a few days will be Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. El-liott and family, from Wilmington, N. C., and to meet them here will be Mrs. Aland to meet them here will be Mra. lisberg, South Africa, where Mr. Blow taines as engineer, representing a London syndicate. Mrs. Blow will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Grant, wife of the Gov-

ernor of Colorado.

Miss Booker's morning recitals in the parlor are greatly enjoyed and largely attended.

Miss Mary Anderson, and Mr. Frank Reinhart arrived on Tuesday, and are Freeted by many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Keyser and Mr. and Mrs. John Stewart, of Baltimore, Md.

have arrived, and are charmingly fixed in their cottage in Florida Row.

Mrs. Isabel L. Dobbin, of Baltimore, Md.; Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Willard, and Miss Nannie Parker are among the prominent arrivals from Washington, D. C.

Late arrivals are: Mrs. Thomas Rogers Torrence and three attractive daughters, York, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene G. Smith and their charming daughter, Lancaster, Pa.—Mr. Smith is a lawyer of prominence in his State; Mrs. Charles Henry Page, Philadelphia; Mrs. James C. Johnston, Louisville—a great belle and beauty in her day, as Miss Lutle Nicholas, Kentucky; Mrs. Alexander P. Witty, also of Louisville, and greatly admired as Miss Sadie Zagone.

Miss Jeffries and Mrs. George Donaldson, of Richmond, are the guests of Mrs. CHARMS OF THE HOT.

TASTE OF AN EAGER AND NIPPING AIR.

BUT NO ONE COMPLAINS. The Several Hotels Filling Up Rapid ly-The Amusements-Some of the Richmond Guests-A Railroad Mag-

nate as a Golf Player,

Miss Jeffries and Mrs. George Donald-son, of Richmond, are the guests of Mrs. Montague, near White Suiphur. The invalids who have elicited such heartfelt sympathy and interest-Dr. Moses D. Hoge, Mrs. Hugh Campbell, and Mr. Thomas Potts-are all improving. Miss Frances Scott is with her sister, Mrs. Campbell. (Correspondence of the Dispatch.) HOT SPRINGS, VA., July 15-But for the calendar daily staring us in the face, one might well believe that the summe Judge Henry L. Edmunds and his charming wife, of St. Louis, Mo., have months have taken a hurrled departure, and that autumn is now upon us, so flighty have the elements been in this Mrs. Charles E. Heald and her interestbeautiful valley. However, for once no one is finding fault with the weather man, and as long as he keeps the mercury mond, Va., are welcome additions down to 60 degrees, as he has done for o the company; Mr. and Mrs. Oliver W. the past week, no one will complain. It is quite pleasant to gather around Mrs. Marshall M. Gilliam, Mrs. Thomas Potts, C. W. Kent, W. S. Forbes, J. P. George, W. W. Johnson, J. C. Dame, G. J. Freedley, E. H. Gunst, Richmond, Va.; John M. Johnson, Alexandria, Va.; E. C. Glass, Virginia; L. H. Hudson and wife, Louisville, Ky.; Misses Landell, Philadel-phia, Pa.; A. J. Rankin, Virginia; W. E. crackling and sputtering log fire, just as twilight comes on, and while away an hour or so in discussing the events of the day, or the plans for the morrow, so what matters it if there is a touch of frost in the air outside, as long as all is

comfortable within doors? With days that are delightfully cool, and nights when one must sleep under a blanket to be comfortable, it is not hard to enjoy life to the utmost, and those now sheltered within the Warm Springs Valley seem to be certainly making the most of the swiftly-flying

The several hotels are rapidly beginning to "fill up," and the "town" (which name is applied to the Hot Springs), daily in creases in population. The Homestead is entertaining a gay throng and the Virginia has opened its doors for the summer, while the McClintic House, the pretty and cosy hotel, elevated 300 feet above its neighbors, and the Alphin, are both comfortably filled. At the Casino, the finest band in the mountains discourses beautiful music, and the daily concerts are attended by most appreciative audinces, composed of the guesta of the

There is no lack of amusements here and, in fact, one almost tires of the incessant round of pleasure. What with riding and driving, hunting and fishing, golf playing, and then, in the evening dancing, the hours pass by all too quick ly, and a week seems as but one long

nearly every State in the Union is represented, and a record of the hotel registers for the past week would bear this

son, Dr. Cowardin, Mr. Edward B. Chesterman, and Bertram Chesterman are registered from Richmond. Those from Richmond at the McClintic House are Mr. E. G. Tompkins and Mr. Frank Crenshaw, and at the Alphin, Messrs, Stan-hope Libby, and Charles Frischkorn.

Among the guests at the McClintic House is Rev. Dr. W. N. Scott, of Galveston, Tex., who, with his family, expects to spend the summer here. Dr. Scott is one of the most prominent Pres. byterian ministers of Galvesion, and is well known in Richmond, where he occupied the pulpit of the Third Presby terian church for a number of years. Mrs. I. Goldsmith and her charmin daughters are also here from the Lone Star State. Little Miss Lottle Gold-smith is the prettiest bit of femininity at evening. Then, besides, the card parties that take place every evening in the read-ing-room, the programme for the coming

PATRIOTISM.

There is no lack of patriotism among he guests at the Hot Springs, and the war news is eagerly read and discussed each day.

No one in this valley understands

horse better than does Mr. William Montgomery, the riding master here, and there is no doubt that in securing his services the management has an excellent

President M. E. Ingalls, of the Chesapeake and Ohio, is an enthusiastic golf player, and spends a great deal of his time on the links.

time on the links.

Boston has a most worthy representative here in the person of Mr. F. H.
Nazro. He is a cultured gentleman, a splendid conversationalist, and an all-'round good fellow. Not least among his accomplishments is his ability to judge a "cake-walk." Father S. B. Hedges, who has been at

Thornton Whaling and wife, of Lexington; Mrs. R. Stockton Terry, of Lynchburg; Mr. G. W. Truett, of Suffolk; Mr. G. R. Gillum, of Lynchburg; Mrs. M. S. Waugh, of Lexington; Mr. J. D. Cardoza, of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Gibson, of Richmond; Mr. A. S. White, Miss Kate Buford, and Mrs. Clemens Manley, of Hichmond, and Mrs. S. H. Fitzgerald, of Chatham. Miss Grandy, of Washington, D. C., is another valuable addition to the company here. the Springs several weeks, is the owner of a splendid horse, and takes his morn-ing ride with the same regularity be does his breakfast. Rev. Dr. Scott, Miss Agnes Scott, and

Miss Elizabeth McClintic made a flying visit to White Sulphur Springs this week.

THE INTERMONT.

Summer Has Returned Again-Charming Guests.

Escaped a White-Capping-Passing THE INTERMONT, COVINGTON, VA. July 16 .- (Special.)-The temperature of the past week had in it such a suggestion of autumn as to cause a full appreciation the number of visitors. Richmond is well of the steam heat which made the whole house comfortable. Now summer has returned again, and brought many accessions to the pleasant company gathered here. Amongst these is Mrs. E. C. Venaeverybody took their ease here, going ble, of Petersburg, with her attractive family. For many successive summers she has returned here, always to find ed to find the critics construed, this to many old friends, who have eagerly watched for her coming, and to whom she is an object of pleasure and pride, as a type of the refined gentlewoman of the old South. Virginia could not desire bet-ter representatives of this type than the two who are here—Mrs. Venable and Mrs. Ware—who, although a resident of New York for thirty years, still preserves the qualities which have made her race and her State famous. As Pattle Aylett she was one of the beautles of Virginia, and as Mrs. Ware she can still claim the ti-tle, with the added laurels of having learned the art of growing old gracefully. The new woman can give us no such

The guests at Intermont are peculiarly fortunate this season in the excellent music, which is such a source of enjoyment. The orchestra under the leadership of Mr. Joseph Finckel, himself a stu-dent of medicine, is made up of college men, each gifted and trained in his particular instrument, although not profes-sionals. The mid-day music hour in the parlor draws together an audience really appreciative of the beautiful rendering of the melodies nowhere found so sweet and tuneful as in the old operas, whilst in the evening the ball-room is made equally attractive by the inspiring strains of Souza, or the dreamy measure of Auf Mu-dersehen, and such lovely old-time

waltzes.

The Misses Holzman, of Shreveport,
La., are also musicians of a high order, on
piano and violin, and when assisted by piano and violin, and when assisted by Mr. W. S. Mason, of Charleston, likewise a former pupil of distinction of the Con-servatory of Cincinnati, great pleasure is afforded the many listeners.

Miss Holzman is also an accomplished elecutionist, and adds greatly to the en-joyment she affords by her sweet and obliging manners,

SACRED CONCERT.

For the evening there was a sacred concert in the hotel parlor, much enjoyed, which filled the hours usually so difficult to make either pleasant or profitable.

Mrs. John Etchison, of Richmond, is

another handsome bright, young matron here for the season.

Mr. Leigh R. Page and Miss Gabriella Page will spend the summer here.

Mrs. Thomas Jeffrens and her two daughters are also expected this week.

The weekly chipsin cuchre parties have been inaugurated,
Parties are being made up for a day's outing at the White Sulphur and the Hot Springs.

MONTGOMERY WHITE.

Its Beauties-The Guests - The Masonic School, MONTGOMERY SPRINGS, July 16 .-

(Special.)-A visit to the old historic Montgomery White Sulphur impressed the writer with its surpassing beauty. Beautiful walks and drives, and the home-like cottages on either side of the spacious lawn, give one the ideal summer home, free from the noise and bustle of a large establishment. A poet could not conceive nor could an artist depict this ideal sum mer paradise. Every Monday night there will be a german. Among the many guests who add so much to the social success and enjoyment of the season are Mrs. Edward Hull and son, Augusta, Ga.; Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Howell and family, Little Rock, Ark.; Mrs. C. A. Nush and son, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. G. W. Slauson, California; Mrs. J. G. Wright, North Carolina; Mrs. Reiton, Roanoke, Va.; Major Cutchins and wife, Richmond, Va.; Mr. B. C. Pope and wife, Greensboro', N. C.; Mr. C. H. Collins (the poet) and son, Hillsboro', O.; Mr. N. C. Harrison and family, Mississippi; Mrs. DeVault and family, Miss Venarle, Bristol, and the charming family of Mr. William Mitchell, Richmond. Dr. I. S. Stone, of Washington, D. C., will be a guest of Dr. Gildersleeve the second week in August. The popular manager, Mr. W. S. Ayres; the well known and genial assistant, Captain G. W. Fagg, and Dr. Gildersleeve the resident physician, are all vving with one another in making the White a social

The Royal Arch Mason School of Instruction is largely attended, and many well known Masons have registered.

CROCKETT SPRINGS.

An Invitation Accepted-A Merry Crowd-Arrivals.

(Correspondence of the Dispatch.) CROCKETT SPRINGS, VA., July 15 .-The invitation extended through your columns last week to "come to this recuntain home." to "come to the hills" with us, has been so fully responded to that our number has swelled to one hundred.

From the orange groves of Louislana and the flowery glades of Florida to the cities of the frozen North they have sent their quota to swell our list, and imbibe health, strength, and beauty at Crockett's. And what a gay, harmonious set we are let the music and the laughter that daily and nightly echo up the valley and the mountain side attest. The scarcity of beaux is no hindrance to the enjoyment of the crowd who nightly seek the ballroom, where everybody dances men and maidens, old men and children, all thread together the mazes of the old Virginia reel, and the stately grace of the "old-time" lencers is transformed into a merry romp. Old people, like the eagle, renew the vigor of their youth, and skip around as joyously to "Hop light, ladies," as they did in "the days when they wer Indeed, one arises from these invigorating baths with a skin as smooth as satin, and an agility and ac-

tivity never felt before. Some of the new arrivals registered during the last few days are the Rev. James Arthur, of North Ireland, and his confrere, Rev. H. R. Bothwick, of Max Meadows; N. R. Stanger, of Blacksburg Mrs. R. D. Sneath, of Ohio; Mrs. Penr and daughter and Miss Mary Bethell, of Danville, Va.; M. Dibbrell, also of tha place; Judge Alex. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Elstener, Miss Maggio Els-tener, and Mr. Henry Elstener, of Shreveport, La.; Mrs. D. A. Meadows, of Roanoke; Mr. and Mrs. William Boatwright, of Danville; Mrs. T. C. Tatum, Mrs. Ruth and Mr. Edward Tatum, formerly of St. Louis, now of Larchmont, N. Y.; Mrs. and Miss Ellyson, of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. H. F. Doll, and Miss Mandie Doll and Miss Mary Lou Doll, of Shreveport, La.

A Delightful House-Party.

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BERRYVILLE, VA., July 16.—(Special.)
"Monfana Hall," the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Conrad, situated near White Post, in Clarke county, has been the scene for the past fortnight of one of the most delightful house parties ever held in the county. The guests arrived on Monday, July 4th, and the stay lasted until Tuesday of this week. The amusements consisted of dancing, golfing, and other kindred amusements suitable on such occasions. The guests were Misses Atley and Downing, of Montana; Misses Mary and Agnes Page, Juliette and Dora Henry, Jessie Owen, and Mary Woolfolk, of Millwood; Margaret Dame, of Winchester; Dr. Robert P. Cook, and Messrs. E. P. Cooke, Robert Page, Jr., George Jones, U. L. Boyce, Jr., Richard Whiting, Grimes Randolph, Thomas Hyde, Jr., and Province McCormick.

Mr. Lewis C. Bradford, cable editor on the New York Tribune, is at his oid home, in this county.

Mr. Lewis C. Bradford, cable editor on the New York Tribune, is at his old home, in this county.

Miss Josephine Crown, of Baltimore, is visiting her brother, Editor John O. Crown, of the Clarke Courier.

Miss Annie M. Smith, of Baltimore, is at the home of her brother, Mr. R. R. Smith, in Berryville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Conner are the guests of Miss Annie Homer, at Locust Point, Clarke county.

Mr. Burwell, of Baltimore, is the guest of Mrs. John Woolfolk, of Millwood.

Tazewell News Tips.

TAZEWEIL News Tips.

TAZEWEIL, VA., July 16.—(Special.)—County Court opens next Tuesday, Hon. J. H. Stuart presiding.
Judge Samuel C. Graham has gone to Parkersburg, W. Va., on legal business.
Dr. J. R. Gildersleeve, the resident physician at the Montgomery White Sulphur Springs, and whose home is at this place, was circulating among his many friends this week, but has returned to the brings.

Miss Mary Rogers, of Baltimore, who has been the guest of Miss Alice Alexander, left Tuesday for her home. Mrs. J. D. Alexander accompanied Miss Rogers, for a month's visit among old friends in Baltimore.

Misses Minnle and Carrie Campbell, of Lynchburg, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chapman, returned to their home yesterday.

Misses Gertrude and Annis Pile, of Bristol, are visiting in Tazewell, the guests of their cousin, Mrs. T. A. Lynch.
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Alderson returned to their home here to-day from Washington county, where they went last Monday, owing to the illness of the sister of the former.

Fork Union Jottings.

FORK UNION, VA., July 16.—(Special.)
The condition of Mr. C. P. Snead, who narrowly survived a congestive chill a few days since, is regarded by physicians as somewhat improved to-day.

The Rev. W. C. McGarvey, of Buffalo, N. Y., is on a visit to his children, now summering near this place. summering near this place.

Mr. Edward McGarvey and family are sere to spend the summer at the "Rec-

here to spend the summer at the Rectory."

The result of the splendid seasons with which we have been blessed of late is seen in the fine outlook for crops and the contentment of toiling farmers.

The family of the Rev. Dr. W. E. Hatcher, of Richmond, now occupy their beautiful summer residence at this place.

The Boys at Chickamauga Delighted.

Before leaving for Chickamauga Park, Ga., Lieutenant George E. Bass, Fifty-second Iowa Volunteers, procured a few bottles of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhœa Remedy. The boys were delighted with the quick cures of diar-rhœa which it effected. To meet the demands Lieutenant Eass ordered four dozen bottles more by express and sold the whole of it in one day, except three bottles kept for his own use and for personal friends. It never fails to effect a cure, and is pleasant and safe to take. It is the most successful medicine in the THE OZONE OF AFTON

IT APPEARS TO BE IN VERY GOOD WORKING ORDER THIS SEASON.

THE MOUNTAINS FULL OF VISITORS

some of the Gayetles Described-The Flirtation Business Fairly Active-Tally-Ho Rides and Dutch Suppers Illness of an Old Habitue.

AFTON, VA., July 16 .- (Special.)-It has been meteorological this week to the extent of a daily drizzle, varied by two or three energetic downpours. And yet, up here life has been delightful, Jupiter Pluvius to the contrary, notwithstanding. For the crowds at the hotels there is al-

ways something to do-somewhere to go even between the showers and for the outdoor sports of tramping, hay-riding, golf, and tennis; there are indoor amusements with plenty of enthusiasts to enjoy them. OZONE AND THE MICROBES. The quiet, restful days draw people together socially, and the nights are like Marguerite's home that old Reszke made

such a fuss over, chaste and pure rather the mild gavety of a maiden's de but than the frolicsome fancy of a midsummer ball. There is the same ozone with the same microbes of madness in it, you know, but tempered by a lower barometer. And safe yet as to flirtations.

Adonis does not hesitate to trust his se-If he wishes to be alone with the sister.
Of these earlier Arcadian pleasures, s the hotel of the Ridge, always sedately quiet, the illness of an old habitue, well remembered about Afton, casts a sympathetic gloom. EUCHRE, &C.

At the Afton the euchre party of a few

lights was very elegant. Among those participating were:
Mrs. J. M. Montague, dressed in an old ose silk and point lace.

Mrs. W. B. Walt, black satin, jetted chaptilly.

Mrs. R. E. Wait, red silk, Brussels

oint and diamonds. Mrs. Mell Ferguson, pink organdle over taffeta silk, real lace, and pearls.

Mrs. E. W. Moore, black taffeta, beaded

hiffon, and diamonds. Mrs. V. L. Mason, pink taffeta, applique ace, and diamonds. Several handsome tollets were noted in white mulis and Liberty silks.

Mrs. Mason won the first prize of ster-

ling silver and pearl pin; Mrs. E. W. Moore second prize, a lovely pin basket. Prize winners of the gentlemen guests were: First prize, a box of Habana cigars, Mr. J. M. Montague; second prize, Mr. Charles Hawthorn, a pipe.

After the game delightful ices were

surrounding country Friday. Among the party were Messrs, J. C. Goodloe. Hawthorn, Bruce Ferguson, and Dr. P. P. Parrish; Mrs. Hawthorn, Mrs. Ferguson, Mrs. Montague, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Trait, Miss Mary Goodloe, and Mrs. Con-

PERSONALS.

Mrs. John McHenry, of Louisville, arrived at Afton last Sunday for the season.

Lately guests registered at the hotel are: M. A. Harris, Texas; N. J. Payne, Philadelphia; H. T. Simpson, W. H. Jones, Richmond, Va.; H. P. Peebles, W. R. Stevens Nelson.

At Locust Dale are Mrs. C. V. Barnes and Mrs. Trafford, of Virginia. Miss Rusha Goodloe, who has been visiting relatives in Gordonsville, has return ed to Afton; Mr. Charlie Dell, of Balti more, is the guest of his cousin, J. E.

At the magistrate's examination of Dudlast Wednesday, Dudley falled in giving bond, and was sent on. Mr. Schoolfield, of the Methodist Church,

Mr. Schoolield, of the Methodist Church, began a series of meetings at Rodes's to-day. Much interest is manifested. Mr. John Critzer, of the "Blue-Ridge" farm, died, and was burled at Hebron

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